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Rain Here Past Week Gauged .90; Wettest Year Since 1941

Slow, rain and mist, falling in this area from Sunday until Tuesday morning was gauged at .90 by S. F. "Fos" Bond, veteran weather observer here for the U. S. Weather Bureau. This precipitation brings the total for the month to 3.65 to date, he said.

Clearing skies and bright sunshine appearing about mid-morning Wednesday were greeted with broad smiles by farmers and businessmen who are concerned over the harvest of feed crops, peanuts and cotton.

Pain records show that this has been the wettest year on record since 1941, which was the wettest in history with a total of 48.77 inches of moisture. According to Bond's records precipitation thus far this year totals 37.38, with approximately 45 days yet to go for the year.

Range land is in the best condition it has been in about nine years, say farmers and ranchers of the area, and fall and winter grain and cover crops are in fine shape, however most everyone would like to see a little sunshine for a few weeks so that crops can be harvested and more grain crops sown.

Senate Confirms E. L. Jackson As Member Of Vet Commission

The Texas Senate has confirmed Governor Price Daniel's appointment of E. L. Jackson of Cisco to the State Veterans Affairs Commission, according to information received here.

Mr. Jackson was appointed to serve a six year term ending June 12, 1963. At the Commission's recent meeting, the Ciscoan was selected to serve as chairman. The Commission holds regular quarterly meetings and is subject to call for other meetings.

Mr. Jackson, long prominent in Cisco civic affairs, is a former district, division and state commander of the American Legion.

Father of Local Teacher Buried In Brownwood

Funeral services were held at 3 p.m. Wednesday in the First Methodist Church in Brownwood for Roland Wilson Coggin, 78, of 1310 Ave. D, Brownwood, with Rev. C. D. Wooten, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Greenleaf Cemetery.

Mr. Coggin was the father of Mrs. E. L. Morgan, local high school English and speech teacher. Mr. Coggin, a native of Webster, New Mexico, was born Sept. 23, 1879 and died suddenly at 3:30 Monday, November 11.

He moved to Brown County in 1914, settling in the Indian Creek community. He moved to Brownwood three years later, operating a top and body works firm since that time. He was a member of the First Methodist Church board of stewards.

Survivors include his wife; three sons, Ross Wayne, Bowie, Roland Jay, Fort Worth and Billy Bryan of Rapid City, N. D.; one daughter, Mrs. Morgan of Cross Plains; a sister, Mrs. B. H. Bettis of May, two half-sisters, a step-sister, a half-brother and seven grandchildren.

Dale Bishop was a business visitor in Lamesa Wednesday.

Buff Band Members Take Part In All-District Meet

A number of student musicians of the Buffalo Band will be in Cisco next Saturday to compete for places in the All-District Band, according to an announcement made here this week by Roy T. Flournoy, director of the organization.

After competitive try-outs for land places, the student musicians will practice for concerts to be given that night and the public is cordially invited to attend. Admission is free and an excellent program will be rendered, it was stated.

Mrs. Mary Ann Bower Buried At Belle Plain

Mrs. Mary Ann Bower, 78, a resident of the Rowden Community, died at 5:35 a.m. Monday, November 11, in the Callahan County Hospital in Baird after a brief illness.

She was born Feb. 22, 1879 in Mexico County and had been a resident of the Rowden community since 1925. She was married Jan. 6, 1906 to H. C. Bower, who died Jan. 26, 1956. Mrs. Bower was a member of the Rowden Baptist Church.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Tuesday in the Rowden Baptist Church with the Rev. W. E. Nowell officiating. Burial was in the Belle Plain Cemetery.

Survivors are two daughters, Ruth Powers of Baird and Christine Bower of Abilene; one son, Jesse of Baird; two brothers, John Gardner of Houston and Will Gardner of Girard.

Cynthia McCuin Elected Sponsor and Cheerleader At Hardin Simmons U.

ABILENE (Spec.)—Cynthia McCuin, freshman student from Cross Plains, has been selected as sponsor of the Pershing Rifles at Hardin-Simmons University for the current year. Miss McCuin, who was presented by the unit in the Homecoming parade on Oct. 19, will hold the rank of Honorary Pershing Rifle Captain.

A picture of Miss McCuin will be entered in the regional contest in competition for Regional sponsor. The winner here will be entered in the national contest to select an Honorary General.

As unit sponsor, Miss McCuin will serve with the Corps and company sponsors on the social committee, helping to plan the military banquet.

She was also recently elected by the freshman class at HSU to serve as one of four cheerleaders for the HSU Buttons, freshman football team.

An elementary education major, Miss McCuin is a member of Speech and Drama Club and Future Teachers of America, and was elected as a cheerleader for the freshman football team.

Mrs. Younglove, 79, Buried At Burkett

Mrs. W. G. Younglove, 79, a resident of Coleman County for many years, died Saturday morning at the home of a daughter in Denver City, Texas after a brief illness.

She was born June 10, 1878 in Freestone County and was a member of the Church of Christ.

Mr. Younglove, a retired farmer, died about four months ago. Funeral rites for Mrs. Younglove were held at Stevens Memorial Chapel in Coleman Sunday at 2 p.m. with Paul Wallace, minister of the Coleman Church of Christ, officiating. Burial was made in the Burkett Cemetery.

Survivors include five daughters, Mrs. O. W. Smith of Coleman, Mrs. J. A. Bennett of Cross Plains, Mrs. H. O. Trent of Denver City, Mrs. W. O. Ling of Corpus Christi, and Mrs. Jack Garrison of Houston; one sister; a half-brother, and 24 grandchildren and 24 great-grandchildren.

Singing Convention To Meet At Eula Sunday

The Callahan County Singing Convention will meet Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Eula Baptist Church, according to an announcement made here the first of the week.

All singers of this area are invited to attend.

MRS. RALPH McNEEL TO BE EMPLOYED BY DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WELFARE

Mrs. Ralph McNeel is in Fort Worth where she is attending a school for State Department of Public Welfare workers for the next few weeks before being assigned as a field representative of the department.

Mrs. Peyton Smith spent last week in Fort Worth with Mrs. McNeel.



V. D. Walter Elected To Board of Baptist General Convention of Texas

FORT WORTH (Sp.)—The Rev. V. D. Walters, pastor of the Cross Plains Baptist Church, Thursday was elected a member of the Executive Board of the Baptist General Convention of Texas.

The action came on the final day of the Baptist General Convention of Texas annual meeting in Fort Worth's Will Rogers Coliseum.

The 191-member board consists of pastors, laymen and women from over the state. It meets four times a year to conduct the denomination's business between annual sessions and is the convention's most influential organization.

The board's primary purpose is to promote all phases of Texas Baptist missions, both at home and abroad, and to teach, enlist and train in Christian stewardship and service throughout all areas of life.

Most of the board's work is done through committees, among which are the convention's plans and policies committee and the appropriations committee.

Mrs. Barnett Is Buried At Burkett, Tuesday

Funeral rites were conducted from the Burkett Church of Christ for Mrs. Devera Belle Barnett, 84, at 2:30 p.m. Tuesday, November 12, with H. McDonald, minister of the Cross Plains Church of Christ, officiating. Burial was made in the Burkett Cemetery.

Mrs. Barnett passed away Monday, November 11, in the Rising Star Hospital where she had been a patient since Thursday of last week after suffering a stroke at her home.

She was born in Gentry County, Mississippi, February 26, 1873 and moved to Burkett at an early age. She was married to Leonard Barnett August 19, 1892, at Coleman.

Survivors include three sons, Earl of Cottonwood, Judd of Cross Plains, and Richard of Burkett; one daughter, Mrs. Fannie Watson of Lawton, Oklahoma; one sister, Mrs. Cordie Irvin, Albuquerque, N. M.; two half-sisters, Mrs. Fannie Tommons of Midland and Mrs. George Morgan of Newcastle; two half-brothers, Henry Smith of El Reno, Oklahoma, and Elzie Smith of Albany, 15 grandchildren and 17 great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Barnett reared two of her grandchildren, Mrs. Morris Odum of Cross Plains and Mrs. D. E. White of Albany.

Serving as pallbearers were J. C. Bowden, Roger Watson, Jack Deusk, Otis McKenney, R. T. Watson and Dalton Gould.

Higginbotham Bros. & Co. were in charge of arrangements.

Sister of Local Woman Is Buried In Dallas Friday

Mrs. Robert L. Hunt, 55, of 3202 Arizona, Dallas, and sister of Mrs. L. C. Lee of this city, was laid to rest in the Oak Lawn Cemetery at Decatur, Friday following funeral services at 11 o'clock in the Cliff Temple Baptist Church. Dr. Wallace Bassett officiated.

Mrs. Hunt suffered a cerebral hemorrhage after the Southern Methodist University-University of Texas freshman football game Friday, November 1, and died in a Dallas hospital Wednesday, November 6.

She was a member of the Cliff Temple Baptist Church and a graduate of the University of Texas.

Survivors are her husband and son, Bobby, both of Dallas, one sister, Mrs. Lee.

Pallbearers were Buddy Phillips, Morris Padgett, David Pickett, Skipper Grimbles, Jack Kellam, Larry Don Holbert, Jerry Mays, Bradley Hartwyk, Benny North and Ronald Mabra.

Honorary pallbearers were members of the SMU freshman football team, SMU coaches and South Oak Cliff High School coaches.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee returned home during the week end from Dallas where they had spent several days at the bedside of Mrs. Hunt and her funeral.

Mrs. N. A. Yarbrough and Mrs. J. H. McElroy were visiting in Abilene Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Hornsby were visitors in Baird Monday of this week and also visited at Rowden with his mother, Mrs. W. J. Hornsby.

Buffaloes Close Football Season Here Friday Night With Annual Clash Against Wildcats

Bufs Lose To Mason By Score of 47-6

By BENNY GLOVER

The Cross Plains Buffaloes journeyed to Mason last Friday only to be roped and tied by the Mason Cowpunchers and defeated in a 9A conference game 47-6.

After a scoreless first quarter, in which the Buffaloes put on two drives but fell short of the goal, the Mason team overran the Buffs and scored four touchdowns. Late in the second quarter the Buffs managed their only tally of the contest. But the Punchers were not through as they tallied once in the third period and twice in the final quarter of play.

Cross Plains took the opening kickoff on their own 35 and moved the ball in seven plays to the Mason 30 where an ever deadly fumble stopped the drive. Mason then could not move against the Buffalo defense and was forced to punt. The locals then put on another drive carrying from the Buff 35 to the Punchers' 27 before Cross Plains was forced to punt.

On the first play of the second quarter, Mason's powerful fullback, P. Keller, romped 80 yards off left tackle for the first score. The extra point was good and the Punchers led 7-0, with 13 seconds gone in the second quarter. Mason had the scoring fever in the second quarter as they tallied three more times.

Keller again blasted into the promised land following a bad center on fourth down. Buff Gravel Scott had to chase the ball back to his own 10 where Mason took over first and goal. Keller blasted across the double stripe from two yards out and the point was good. Mason led 14-0. Mason's halfback K. Durst swiped a Buff pass on his own 47 and returned the ball to the Buff 15 before he was brought down. Keller then took charge and hit paydirt from seven yards out. The point was good and Mason led with 5:25 left in the second quarter 21-0.

On the first play after the kickoff, the Buffs again lost the pigskin on a fumble on the Buff 45. Four plays later the Punchers again had six more points. Setting up the TD was a pass and run play from second quarterback S. Martin to Durst who Buffalo Scott overhauled from behind on the Cross Plains 11. Then first quarterback F. Schmidt sneaked into the land of plenty from the one. With 3:07 remaining in the first half Mason led 27-0.

But the Buffaloes' moment of glory was yet to come. Cross Plains moved from their own 30 yard line to the Punter 45 on line smashes by Joe Gary, Darvel Hutchins and Norman Vaughn. Then halfback Bill Mayes came into the game. Mayes raced far downfield and Hutchins cocked his arm and fired a long pass to Mayes who gathered in the pigskin on a beautiful flying catch on the Mason four. Then quarterback Scott got three yards to a keeper. Then Hutchins blasted his way into paydirt from one yard out with 10 seconds remaining in the first half. A pass from Scott to end Bobby Golson in the end zone for the extra point was incomplete. At the end of the first half Mason led 27-6.

The Cross Plains Buffalo Band entered the field with a complicated weaving entrance starting with the band in reverse and accompanied in their usual formation. The band moved up field doing a mumble dance step. The marching musicians did a square counter-march and formed a sombrero. The Majorities did the Mexican Hat Dance. Then the musicians formed two crossed morrocos with the band's pretty leaders doing another game step to music with a Latin beat. As the band left the field they formed the floating C P and marched off playing the Buffalo Fight Song.

In the second half of the contest, Mason pushed over three touchdowns while the Buffaloes were held to a stand still. Taking the opening final half kickoff on their own 26 the Mason Cowpunchers drove 74 yards in 16 plays with Schmidt capping the drive on a one yard keeper around left end for the touchdown. The score read 34-6.

Following a Buff punt Mason fumbled with Buffaloes John Baum and Perry Jennings recovering the loose ball for the locals. But Cross Plains returned the compliment on the Mason 40 from where the Punchers drove 60 yards to the land of plenty.

Early in the final period Mason drove to the Buff five where Martin did the honors on a keeper around right end. Buff Scott broke through to block the point kick. With 8:33 remaining in the game Mason led 40-6.

Following a Buff punt the Punchers moved 70 yards in five plays for their final tally. The TD coming on a pass and run play from Schmidt to end G. Hale covering 49 yards. The point was good and the score stood at Mason 47 and Cross Plains 6. In the final moments the still fighting Buffs tried three desperate passes but to

reference standings with the winner of the Goldthwaite-Llano game. Record of Games Played. The Buffaloes and Wildcats have met on the gridiron 26 times in the past 28 years, and the Buffs have emerged victorious 19 times and tied one in the series.

The first game of the 28-year series was played in 1929, and ended in a 6-6 tie. Grid games between the two schools were not held during the 1941 and 1943 seasons, due to the fact that the two schools were not members of the same conference and their schedules made non-conference games impossible.

Friday night's conflict will be the last in this series as officials of Rising Star's school declined an invitation to play a non-conference game there next year.

Grid record of the two teams is as follows:

1929 C.P. 6 R.S. 6
1930 20 6
1931 7 24
1932 6 7
1933 7 0
1934 13 0
1935 18 6
1936 23 7
1937 7 27
1938 18 0
1939 21 6
1940 32 7
1941 0 15
1944 21 0
1945 7 0
1946 19 7
1947 0 6
1948 6 38
1949 14 45
1950 18 14
1951 27 0
1952 26 0
1953 12 7
1954 19 7
1955 46 6
1956 32 0

The Wildcats will be battling to gain a win after seven long years on the short end of the final score, so turn out Friday night and see the final game of the season.

Quarterback Club To Meet Wednesday of Next Week

The Cross Plains Buffalo Quarterback Club will meet in regular session next Wednesday night, Nov. 21, according to L. D. Bayless, president, in a very important meeting and all members are urged to be present.

The club will set the date and make arrangements for the annual banquet, probably during the first two weeks in December and it is hoped that a large representation of club members will be present to take part in these plans, he said.

Remember the date, next Wednesday night, Nov. 21, at 8:00 o'clock in the high school study hall. Be present and help with the plans for this big affair.

M. B. Battle, 77, Is Buried At Scranton

Marvin Bishop Battle, 77, retired farmer, was laid to final rest in the Scranton Cemetery Saturday, November 9, following services at 2:30 p.m. in the Higginbotham Eros Funeral Chapel. Officiating at the service was Mrs. Ruby McGowan.

Mr. Battle passed away in Abilene Thursday, November 7, where he had been staying since suffering a fractured hip two months ago.

He was born in Wise County, Texas, July 20, 1880 and moved to Cross Plains 12 years ago from Pioneer.

Survivors include two brothers, Bob Battle of Lockney and Lee Battle of Wilson, Okla.; one sister, Mrs. Gertrude Hoard of Los Angeles, Calif., and a number of nieces and nephews.

Higginbotham Bros. & Co. were in charge of arrangements. Pallbearers were Burl Clinton, John Shrader, Oran Speegle, R. Ray, Glover Johnson and Felix Roland.

Rev. Floyd Newberry To Serve Kansas Church

Rev. and Mrs. Floyd Newberry and children left Thursday of this week for Salina, Kansas, where Rev. Newberry has been called as pastor of the Bethel Baptist Church in that city.

The Newberry family have made their home at Cottonwood for the past three years while he has served as pastor of the Baptist Church there. While living at Cottonwood, he attended Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene and received his degree in the spring.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Petty returned home Tuesday night of last week from Lewisville where they visited their daughter, Mrs. Vernon Mikel and family. The Pettys also attended the Baptist convention in Fort Worth. They were accompanied by Mrs. Jeff Clark and Mrs. Sam Jones who also attended the convention.

PHILOSOPHER NOT WORRIED BY THREAT OF UNSEEN MESSAGES FLASHED ON OUR TV SETS

EDITOR'S NOTE: The Bayou Philosopher on his Johnson grass farm on the Bayou is unworried by the latest development of science, his letter this week indicates. However, he's probably not even worried by some of the earlier developments either.

Dear editor: Some people hunt so hard to find something to worry about you figure they'd be worried sick if they didn't have anything to worry about.

For instance, I was reading in a newspaper last night while most of my neighbors were out looking up at the sky worrying about Sputnik, where science has discovered it can flash a message on a television screen so fast the eye can't consciously see it, yet it gets through to the brain and registers there.

Now this seems like a harmless enough discovery, but right off a lot of people in Washington began worrying about it, and some of them are now proposing a law against the thing. They say it could be a wicked thing; for example, politicians could flash their names on television screens so often voters would have an unconscious urge to vote for them. Advertisers, they say, could flash their messages across so stealthily everybody would be buying their product and not know why.

Well, now, I'll tell you. This thing doesn't worry me. Take politicians. I don't care how often I read some politicians' names, consciously or unconsciously, I still wouldn't vote for 'em. Seeing a man's name over and over isn't necessarily the way to get him elected. Some times it's the way to get him defeated. Even before science developed its unseen television message, candidates were trying this by tacking posters on telephone poles and fence posts, but it didn't follow that the man with the most posters won.

Now with advertising messages on television screens, I'll tell you, if advertisers can figure out a way to get their messages across without interrupting the program and without even being seen, I believe a lot of people would be in favor of it, although of course I recognize that there are people who'd be in favor also of running the programs off in that fashion also.

If science can get to the point where politicians can speak for an hour on television and not be consciously seen, you'll find a lot of people endorsing the idea. In fact, if they can enlarge this whole idea, and get things to where my wife can just flash her instructions to me, without me being aware of 'em, I'll settle for that and let the Russians have outer space.

Your faithfully, J. A.



PROCLAIMS CHRISTMAS SEAL DAY - Governor Price Daniel has proclaimed "Christmas Seal Days" as that period from November 15 to December 24. Bearing the request for the proclamation was Miss Carolyn Calvert of Austin, Texas' first Miss Christmas Seal and the reigning Miss Texas. Christmas Seals are being mailed over Texas Friday. They support work of voluntary tuberculosis associations toward control of the disease.

Cottonwood

By Hazel I. Respass

Rev. and Mrs. C. R. Myrick visited in Talpa last Thursday with their daughter and family, Rev. and Mrs. Jesse Bigbee and children. Fred Gillit of South Texas accompanied Lewis Gillit on the mail route from Baird Saturday.

Beulah and Hazel Respass spent

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the week end visiting in Brownfield and Seminole with Rev. and Mrs. S. R. Respass and Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Whitzel. Mrs. Maude Whitzel of Carlsbad, New Mexico came home with them for a visit.

Mrs. Norman Coffey went to Baird Saturday to give blood for E. E. Shelton of Cross Plains.

Mrs. John Varner, Melvin Varner of Abilene and Mrs. W. H. Coppinger of Cross Plains visited Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Varner last Thursday.

Mrs. Melvin Bowman is back home after a long rest and visit with her mother at Eden.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Y. Crosier and children of Grand Prairie visited with Rev. and Mrs. Floyd Newberry and family over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Stephenson and family of Abilene visited Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Hobby Saturday. Sunday visitors in the Hobby home were Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Cummings of San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Dodson and sons of Abilene visited recently with his mother, Mrs. Amy Dodson and also his grandmother, Mrs. Walter Williams. Mr. Dodson is chief of police in Abilene.

CROSSWORD • • • By A. C. Gordon

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- ACROSS**
- 1 - To turn toward an object
 - 6 - Restraint
 - 11 - Paper measure
 - 12 - Condit
 - 14 - Livid
 - 15 - American Auto Loans (abb.)
 - 16 - Regarding
 - 18 - Hair
 - 19 - Spanish chaperon
 - 21 - A burrow
 - 23 - Perceived
 - 25 - Glowing
 - 27 - Man's name
 - 28 - Tie
 - 30 - Roman numeral
 - 31 - Nullifies
 - 32 - Selenium (chem.)
 - 33 - Famed British statesman
 - 35 - Soldier's ... form
 - 36 - Pork ...
- DOWN**
- 1 - Romanian city
 - 2 - A dandy
 - 3 - First-ranking student
 - 4 - Printer's measure
 - 5 - Retentiveness
 - 6 - Paradise
 - 7 - Rubidium (chem.)
 - 8 - Casoleries
 - 9 - Roof edge
 - 10 - Staggered
 - 13 - Germanium (chem.)
 - 16 - Short answer
 - 17 - Wine cask
 - 20 - Louse egg
 - 22 - Bird bill
 - 24 - Land of the shamrock
 - 26 - Roman 52
 - 29 - Word element meaning "new"
 - 33 - Forerunners
 - 34 - Boy's nickname
 - 36 - Cover
 - 37 - Attitudinizers
 - 39 - Guided
 - 41 - Decay
 - 43 - Aluminum (chem.)
 - 45 - Regarding
 - 48 - Mile title
 - 51 - Has being
 - 53 - Zeus' beloved

Puzzle Answers Appear on Back Page of This Edition

Do You Remember?...

November 13, 1942
Miss Dorothy Ramey of Abilene, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Ramey of Cottonwood, and R. Gloster Thompson, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Thompson, also of Cottonwood, were married Saturday night, November 7, in the First Methodist Church at Cottonwood. The Rev. A. R. Posey of Fort Worth read the double ring ceremony.

W. E. Butler and Son Grocery is moving this week into the building just south of the City Drug Store, that formerly was occupied by the U-Save Grocery.

J. W. "Mousy" Fore of Pioneer recently joined the United States Army and is now stationed in Camp Campbell, Kentucky. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Fore of Pioneer.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Burchfield and Thelma and Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Burchfield attended the Methodist Conference in Cisco Sunday. Among those from Lowell, Ariz., who are visiting friends and relatives in this community are: Mr. and Mrs. Rex Holland and son, Jerry, Johnnie Ray and Joe Holland, Debert Boyle, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Helms, Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Adams and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Odum and baby, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Edington and son and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Klutts and baby. Burkett News.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Ramey had as their guests last week end their children, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Tunnell and children, Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Norris and son of Slaton and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Welch and daughter of Sweetwater. Cottonwood News.

Miss Colleen Moore was pleasantly surprised Saturday evening, November 7, when she was complimented with a party celebrating her birthday, in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Moore.

Sgt. H. D. Hill of the Waco flying school, visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Drew Hill, and other relatives in Cross Plains the latter part of last week.

Robert (Preacher) Lee, who was injured several weeks ago in a gin accident, has returned to his home here from the Cisco hospital.

Miss Marjorie Helms entertained Saturday evening, November 7, with a Sadie Hawkins party in her home at 7:30 o'clock.

Sgt. Johnny Slaughter, who is stationed in Camp Maxey, near Paris, Texas, underwent a minor operation in the camp hospital last week.

November 12, 1937
Cross Plains High School football team lengthened its string of consecutive victories over the Coleman Bluecats here Friday night when the locals eked out a six to nothing triumph, in what was described by the season's largest crowd as the best game seen under the newly installed lights on Williams Field.

Mrs. W. T. Wilson, long time Cross Plains resident, died at her home here late Wednesday afternoon after an illness of several weeks.

A slow rain which continued through most of Monday and Tuesday nights was of estimatable value to ranges and recently sowed grain crops throughout the Cross Plains trade territory.

Mrs. Charlie Stone entertained Wednesday night of last week when she complimented Mrs. Bob Briens of Corsicana with six tables of contract bridge at the home of Mrs. George B. Scott.

Mrs. Bill Wright honored Mrs. Gus Gafford with a miscellaneous shower Tuesday afternoon, November 2, from two until five.

Cross Plains High School students voted unanimously in assembly Monday to change the school anthem from "Buff, Buff,

Buffaloes," to "C. P. H. S.," a specially worded air.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Erwin and family entertained the young folks with a party Saturday night. Everyone reported a nice time. Sabanno News.

Mrs. W. C. Adams has returned home after a visit in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Leo Tyler, between Clyde and Baird.

The P.T.A. will sponsor a Thanks-

1958 Cotton Allotments and Referendum Date Set

COLLEGE STATION — Farmers in Texas will have 7,474,661 acres available on which to grow their 1958 upland cotton crop and producers of extra long staple cotton 27,829 acres.

These state allotments, according to the State Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee, will be apportioned among the counties and the county allotments, to be announced later, among the farms according to the provisions of the law and regulations issued by the Secretary of Agriculture. The State Committee adds that individual farm allotments will be mailed to cotton producers prior to the December 10 referendum on marketing quotas for the 1958 crops.

In the case of extra long staple cotton, the Secretary of Agriculture has designated 10 Texas counties as being eligible to receive allotments. They are Brewster, Culberson, El Paso, Hudspeth, Jeff Davis, Loving, Pecos, Presidio, Reeves and Ward.

The state committeemen point out that the December 10 referendums, for upland and extra long staple cotton growers, will determine whether or not marketing quotas will be operative for the 1958 crops. At least two-thirds of those voting in the two referendums must approve the quotas if they are to remain in effect. Acreage allotments, however, say the committeemen will be in effect regardless of how the votes go. Acreage allotments are a condition of eligibility for price support.

A national marketing allotment and national acreage allotment for upland cotton must be proclaimed for the following year if the Secretary finds that the total supply of upland cotton for the current marketing year exceeds the normal supply. For extra long staple cotton, quotas and allotments must be proclaimed whenever the total exceeds the normal supply more than 8 per cent.

The state committeemen point out that growers of both types of cotton have approved quotas for the last four crops.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Harris and son, Bobby and Johnny Ruark of Bonham, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Harris of Burkett and Mr. and Mrs. Ira Hall of Cross Plains over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Sipes were business visitors in Eastland Monday.

giving carnival Tuesday night, November 23. Every body invited to come and have a good time. Cottonwood News.

Mrs. Donald White and sons have returned to their home in Monument, New Mexico after spending the holiday week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Barr, and Sandra.

John B. Chilcoat of B. J. Linn visited Mr. and Mrs. Drew I. Hill Sunday.

Mrs. H. McDonald visited in Silby a few days the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bryan were Abilene visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack McCarty, and Kay visited in Goldth Saturday night and Sunday her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Bayley.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Hargrove turned home Tuesday after a pleasant week end visit in Houston. Mr. Hargrove's nephew and family, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Crown and children. They also visited with friends in Galveston before returning home.

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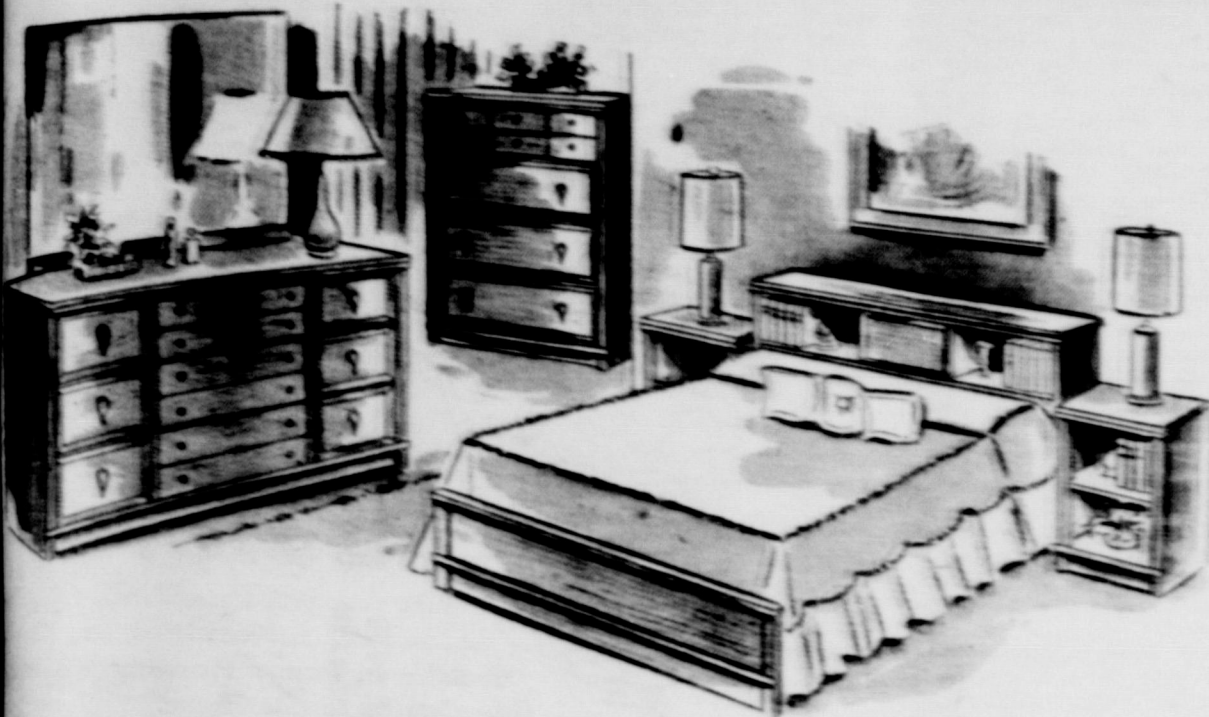
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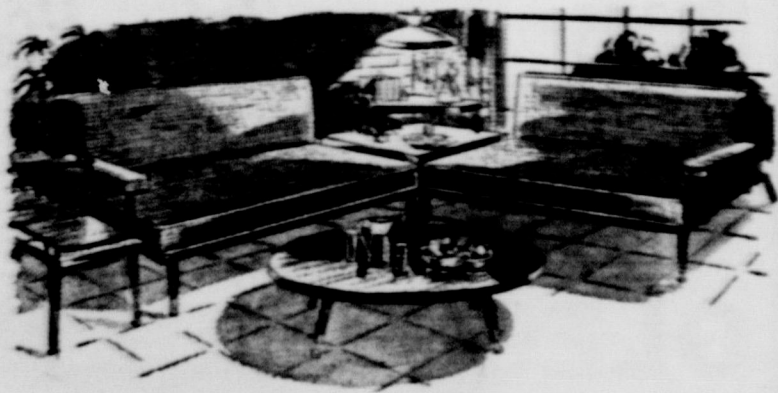


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Cross Cut News

MRS. EARNEST BYRD

The Club is having a farewell domino party Tuesday night for Mr. and Mrs. Ab Humphrey who are moving to Sonora Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Noble Melton of Ballinger visited last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Melton. Sunday visitors in the Melton home were Mrs. Edna Henderson of Brownwood and Mrs. Ab Humphrey.

Mr. and Mrs. Good Woodriddle of Brownwood and Mrs. Rex Chambers and her mother, Mrs. Baker of Albany were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Les Byrd Sunday.

Hoyt Byrd of Corpus Christi arrived Sunday night to spend a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Les Byrd.

Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Byrd of Odessa visited Miss Willie Jones and Granny Proctor.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Byrd and Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Byrd and Miss Willie Jones were shopping in Brownwood Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hensley of Hobe Center spent last Monday night with Mrs. J. C. Gary.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kelley attended the golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. John Lancaster in the Wolf Valley community Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lovell and boys visited his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Klepper, at Clyde Sunday.

Mrs. J. R. Cowan is reported to be doing as well as could be expected in a Houston hospital where she underwent surgery Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Derrell Woods, David, Debra and Kathy of Jal, New Mexico, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Creamer and Tommie of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Byrd and baby, Miss Linda Hardin and A. J. Shoat of Monahan, Mr. and Mrs. Paul J. Allen, Ronnie and Bernda Kay of Irving, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Chambers, Dickie, Bobbie Sue and Kay of Graham and Jack Baker and Rex Chambers of Albany were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Byrd through the past week and Sunday.

Dan Woodriddle of Albany visited with Mr. and Mrs. Les Byrd Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Byrd are moving from Monahan to Crane where he will be employed by R. R. Kennedy Trucking Co.

Mrs. Minnie Arledge is visiting her children, Mr. and Mrs. Dub Arledge, Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Arledge and Mrs. James Shultz in West Texas. She plans to be away until Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Meadow and family of Laird Hill are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Melton.

Mrs. Lorena Lilley of Sabanno visited at Pioneer Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Matt Browning.

Fred Smith of Big Spring visited here last week with his mother, Mrs. A. A. Smith, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Holdridge visited relatives in De Leon Sunday afternoon.

Misses Billie Ruth Loving of Abilene and Jan Cannon of Lubbock, visited Mrs. Ira Loving and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. McClellan of Temple visited here Tuesday night of last week with his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Holdridge.

Mrs. John Browning and Betty were in Dallas during the week and visiting Mr. and Mrs. Fred J. Tunnell and Tommy.

Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Hobby were in San Angelo Sunday night and Monday visiting in the J. L. Cummings home.

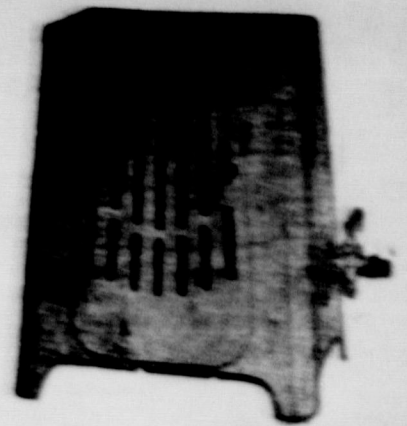
Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bush of this city and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lee Toune and boys of Moran were visiting in Brownwood Friday evening.

Mrs. Elizabeth Hayes spent the holiday week end with relatives in Dallas and Richardson.

Mrs. Doyle Lovell and son of Snyder spent Saturday night and Sunday here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Belyea, and other relatives.

Week end visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Pillars were Mr. and Mrs. Coleman Pillars and family, San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. George Morgan and daughter, Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth McPherson and daughter, Baird, and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Morgan and family, Putnam.

Mr. and Mrs. V. M. Hill of Fort Worth visited here Friday night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Drew I. Hill, and also his sister, Mrs. Verna Mae Ramsey.



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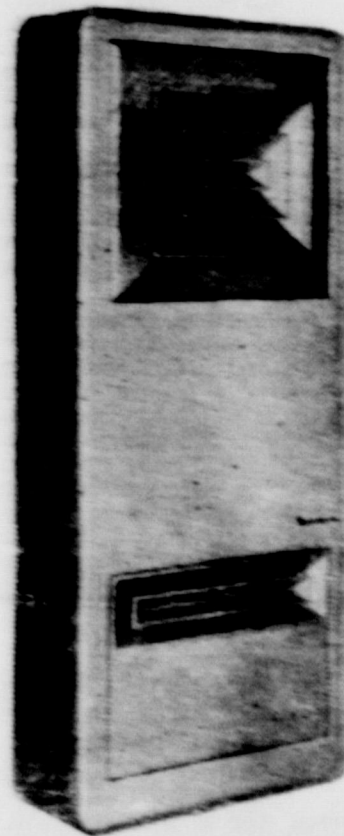
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Rowden News

By MRS. BERNARD CROW

Mr. and Mrs. Odie Smedley and Mrs. Barney Gibbs attended the wrestling matches at Abilene Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Adair and children of Cross Plains, spent Monday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Adair.

Mrs. Arthur Baker and Mrs. Barney Gibbs visited Mr. and Mrs. Warren Price Tuesday.

Mrs. Bill Hazel has returned home after spending several days in the hospital at Abilene.

Mrs. Sterling Odom attended the

Parent-Teachers Association meeting at Cross Plains Wednesday of last week.

Mrs. B. Crow spent from Friday through Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Dale Gibbs and Gary, in Abilene.

The ladies met for their regular quilting day Thursday and made two quilts for Mrs. Gene Mauldin.

MR. AND MRS. H. T. PEEVY PARENTS OF DAUGHTER

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Peavy of Fort Stockton are parents of a seven pound daughter, Sharelynn Marie, born November 1.

Paternal grandmother is Bessie Griffin of Odessa and great grandmother is Mrs. W. O. Peavy of Cottonwood.

Miss Bonnie Dillard of Abilene spent the holiday week end at home.



Photo by Jack Tunnell

MR. AND MRS. J. C. GARRETT HONORED ON 60TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY, SUNDAY

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Garrett of this city were honored with a coffee on their 60th wedding anniversary Sunday, November 10, at the home of a son, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Garrett.

Those attending from out of town were: Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Walker of Spur, brother and sister of Mr. and Mrs. Garrett; another brother, Lee Garrett, of Anson, and Clarence Garrett and Mr. and Mrs. Lester Garrett, also of Anson; Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Moore and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Shelly and son, Abilene, and the Garretts' daughter, Mrs. Rollo Davidson, Morris and Marie, Childress. A brother and sister of Mrs. Garrett, Mrs. E. I. Vestal and Arthur Walker of Cross Plains, were unable to attend due to illness.

A buffet luncheon was served to out-of-town guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Garrett. Present at the celebration, Mr. Garrett presented his grandsons, Harold Garrett and Morris Davidson, with \$50 and \$100 Confederate bills that had been given to him by his father when he was 15 years old. The bills carry original signatures of the Confederate treasurer and

the serial numbers and date are entered in pen and ink.

Family History.

The following history of the life of Jordan C. Garrett and Ezella Jane Garrett was written by the Garrett's grandson, Harold Garrett:

Jordan C. Garrett married Ezella Jane Walker on Nov. 10, 1897 at the home of the bride in Eolian, Stephens County, Texas. Their first home was a half dug-out with one sash window. They lived here one year, at which time their first child, Eula, was born, October 1898. The next home was a double log cabin with a hall through the center. After living in this log cabin one year, they moved to a box-type house owned by Mr. Garrett's sister, Amy.

During this third year the grasshoppers ate up the cotton except for a small patch near the house where the chicken ranged and ate the grasshoppers. Mrs. Garrett remembers that they made only one bale of cotton as she picked most of it while Mr. Garrett was in Callahan County looking for a farm to rent.

In the fall of 1900 they moved to Cross Plains and lived in a house on Turkey Creek, east and north of Highway 36, where the rodeo grounds were later built. This house had no glass windows. Instead wooden shutters were closed during bad weather leaving the house in darkness. It was in this house their second child, Merlin, was born.

From here they moved to the Hazelwood place two miles south of Cross Plains now owned by Mrs. Hubert Baxter where they lived five years. Part of this place Mr. Garrett cleared and put into cultivation. During this five years he saved enough money to buy a 50 acre place east of Cross Plains. He moved to the Williamson place which he bought at about the same time. This place is now owned by T. J. Garrett (no relation). During their 16 years on this place their third child, Maola, was born. During this time, the Garretts bought their first car, a 1918 Overland. For the car they traded a horse, a cow, and a pony. The pony was the children's, and the decision to buy the car was a hard one for the children to make.

In 1923, Mr. Garrett bought the building in which he operated the Garrett Motor Company in Cross Plains. In the fall of 1923 they moved to a house he had bought in the south part of Cross Plains so he could be close to his new business. They lived in this house two years and then moved to their present home early in 1926 when the new school was built in the north part of Cross Plains.

After operating the Garrett Motor Co. for 18 years, he turned to full time management of his cattle business. This he continued until the loss of his eyesight. He operated several hundred acres in Callahan, Brown and Concho counties.

The first church the Garretts attended when they came to Cross Plains was a Methodist Church on Highway 36 about one block east of the present location of Ponca Worthing's Service Station. A Presbyterian minister sometimes preached in this church.

Later a Presbyterian Church was built on location of J. P. McCord's present home. This church was then torn down and the material used in building the present Presbyterian Church. Mr. Garrett was on the building committee of this church. He also served as Elder.

Mr. Garrett's civic duties included three 2-year terms on the city council. He served as city treasurer and street commissioner during the three terms. At the end of the fifth year he resigned because of business interest taking too much of his time.

He served as a member of the first board of directors of the Citizens State Bank.

Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Riley were visiting in San Saba Sunday.

Lt. Col. M. E. Riley arrived Tuesday night from Elsworth Field, South Dakota for a few days visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Riley.

Sabanno News

By Mrs. Edwin Erwin

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. McCann entertained the friends of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Goleanor with a visiting party last Tuesday night. Mr. and Mrs. Goleanor lived in our community for many years and are now living in Strathmore, California.

Mrs. Howard Hicks was hostess to the Bus Bee Club Wednesday afternoon. One quilt was finished during the afternoon. All members except Mrs. O. B. Switzer and Mrs. Don Nofgrass were present. Chicken sandwiches, cookies, coffee and hot chocolate were served to those present. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Bob Hefner.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lusk were business visitors in Eastland and Cisco last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Cumba were in Fort Worth over the week end where Mrs. Cumba underwent a medical check up.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Coffey of Abilene, visited in the home of their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Switzer and boys, the past week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Basil Lusk and children of Abilene visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lusk Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Parkinson of Romney and Miss Lois Parkinson of Dallas were Saturday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. McCann.

Mrs. Robert Meador has been on the sick list. We hope she will soon be feeling much better.

Mrs. Ralph Erwin and children of Hobbs, New Mexico and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ege, Jr., and children of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Foster and sons of Atwell, Miss Neilon Mimix of Sweetwater and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Cantrell of Abilene were visiting in the

home of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Erwin during the week end.

Mrs. Clayton Scott and boys have returned home after a few days stay with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. McCann.

Mrs. O. B. Switzer and sons visited her sister, Mrs. Buck Bates and children in Cross Plains Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Truett Dawkins and Rev. and Mrs. Dan Applin were Sunday dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. McCann.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Swafford were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Erwin and Mr. Swafford visited in the home of H. N. Lawson and sons, also.

We hope to have a report from the oil rig in our community soon.

Mrs. Lorena Lilley attended a birthday dinner in honor of her

brother in Brownwood last night.

Golden Lawson is visiting Jasper.

Mrs. O. B. Switzer was in Abilene Friday night where she attended a pink and blue

CALVIN TANKERSLEYS PARENTS OF DAUGHTER

Announcement has been made Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Tankersley of Farmington, New Mexico of birth of a six pound, 14 ounce daughter, Anita Louise, born November 3.

Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Tankersley of Plains.

Rev. and Mrs. Roy Zuefeldt and Mrs. Eilen were visiting in Dallas Tuesday and Friday of last week.

PAY TAXES NOW

Payments made before February 1, will not be subject to additional fees for interest and penalties, and to accommodate property owners this office has mailed statement of 1957 taxes.

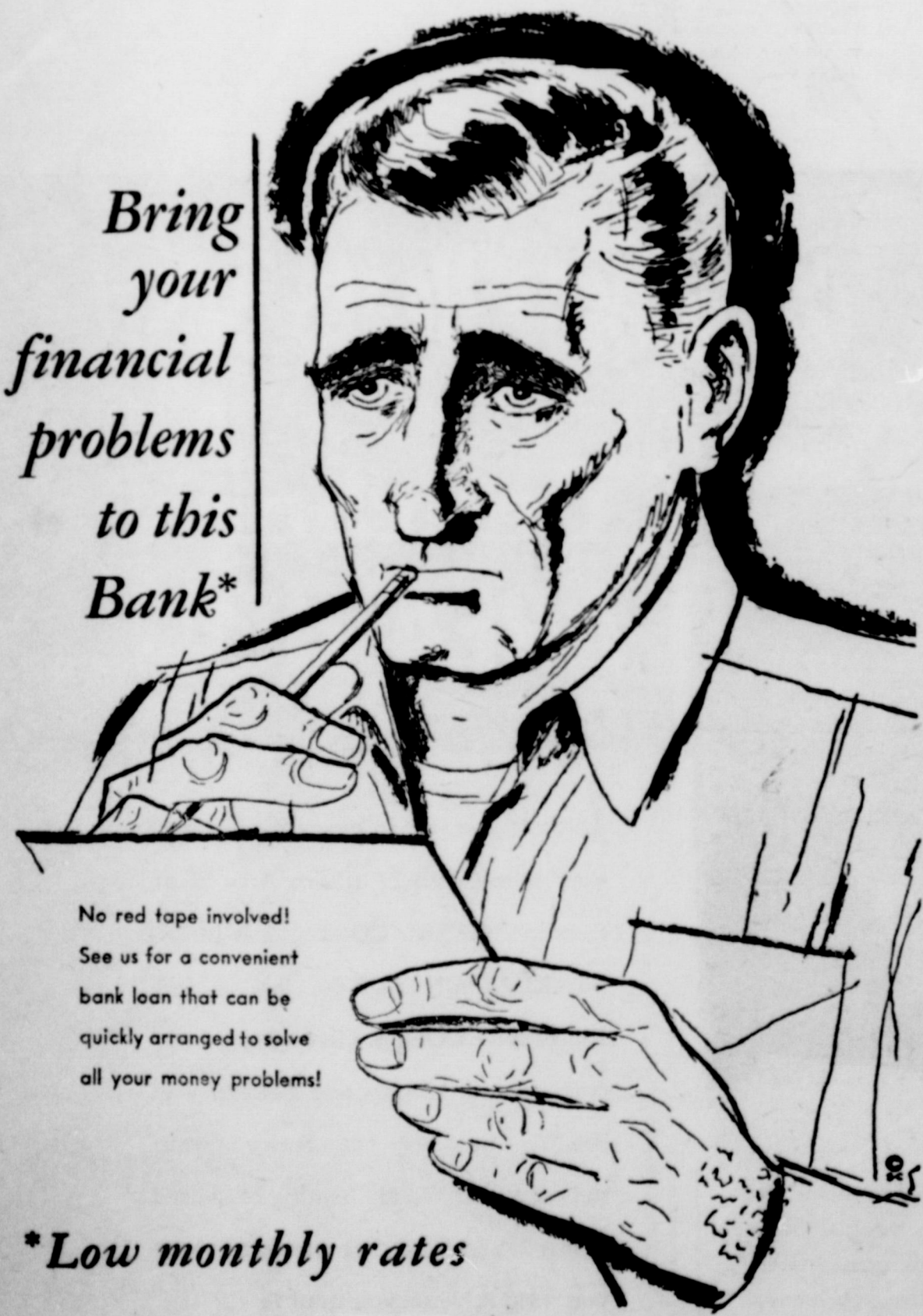
POLL TAXES

Don't forget that if you wish to vote during 1958, your Poll Tax must be paid before Feb. 1, 1958. You will not want to be disfranchised for the need of a Poll Tax receipt, so attend to this detail at once! Poll Taxes may be paid at the Citizens State Bank in Cross Plains, as well as at the office of . . .

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BUTTS LOSE TO MASON—

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no avail as they were forced to punt, and the punters ran out the clock.

SCORE BY QUARTERS

	1	2	3	4
Cross Plains	0	0	0	0
Mason	0	27	7	13

STORY IN FIGURES

Cross Plains

10 first downs	13
110 yards rushing	265
74 yards passing	115
4 of 9 passes completed	4 of 6
0 intercepted	0
3 fumbles lost	1
4 for 19 punts average	1 for 29
6 for 40 penalties	3 for 25

FOR SALE

REAL ESTATE

46 2/10 acres, 1/2 minerals. No improvements. Priced \$20. per acre.

On Brownwood Lake 10 1/2 acres. Brick tile house 24 x 28 ft., 150 ft. water front. Pump and pipe for watering land. Priced \$1,200.

210 acres, 70 in cultivation, 1/2 minerals, 7-room house, water well and windmill. Priced \$5. per acre. Old 4 room house to be moved. Price \$325.00.

100 acres, 66 cultivation. Good 5 room house, 2 producing oil wells. Priced \$125.00 per acre.

5-acres along Highway 36, 4 1/2 miles west of Cross Plains, Texas. Price, \$750.00

3-acres, 4-room house, water well, pump house. Price, \$4,500.00.

6-room house, lot 50x140. North Main St. Price, \$3,000.00.

3-acres, some fruit trees. Partly fenced, hog-proof. Price, \$850.00.

45 acres, 20 in cultivation; 3-room house along highway 36. Water well and pump. Price \$75.00 per acre.

4-room house, 2 lots, north part of town. Price, \$3,500.00.

4 room house and bath, 4 lots. Central Addition. Priced \$4,750.

4 room house and lot. Good location. Priced \$1,400.

106 1-2 acres, 40 acres in cultivation. Old three room house 1-2 minerals. Price \$50.00 per acre. about 5 miles northeast of Rising Star, Tex.

5 room house and lot, block 14 Central Addition. Price \$3,000.00.

58 31-100 acres, modern six-room house. 25 acres in cultivation. Out buildings. Water, gas, electricity, 1-4 minerals. Priced \$7,500.00. Near Blake, Texas.

Houses and lots. Northeast part of town. Price \$2,250.00.

200 acres, 6 room house. About 100 acres in cultivation. Good barn and out buildings. Price \$100.00 per acre.

W. A. Williams place; 6-room house, 2 lots on North Main St. Price, \$6,000.00.

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Atwell News

By Mrs. Alton Tatum

We are still having rain. There is also a lot of sickness in the community. Several still have colds and the flu. Mrs. Roy Tatom is suffering with a case of the shingles.

Most of the farmers have not been able to get their peanuts out of the ground due to the rain. Tuff Hutchins has some plowed up, however, they were up before the heavier rains fell. Some in the community say that the peanut crop will mature without sprouting, however, only time will tell, and we hope that is correct.

Rev. and Mrs. Daudy and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Clint Brashear.

Mrs. Jim Hewes was shopping in Cisco Saturday.

Lynette Hutchins spent Saturday night and Sunday in Cross Plains with Jackie Dewbre.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tatom were in Abilene Friday and Mrs. Tatom had a medical check up.

Wayne, Malinda and Patricia Weeks of Midland spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Erashear, while their parents visited in Wheeler.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Morgan and sons have moved back to their farm north of here. We sure welcome them back.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Foster and boys visited Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Erwin Sunday, at Sabano.

The attendance was low at both churches Sunday due to sickness, rain and bad roads.

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Sew and So Club Met With Mrs. Westerman

The Sew and So Club met in the home of Mrs. L. W. Westerman Thursday, November 7, with vice-president, Mrs. Mack Campbell, presiding in the absence of the president, Mrs. Volle McDonough.

Mrs. Henry McCoy led in group singing and each member answered roll call with the name of their favorite flower.

A short business meeting followed and Mrs. Dunlap led the group in several games.

Refreshments of pumpkin pie, salted nuts, candy and coffee were served to the following: Mmes. A. D. Petty, W. J. Carpenter, Henry McCoy, V. C. Walker, Jeff Clark, Mack Campbell, Howard Coburn, W. J. Carpenter and one new member, Mrs. A. A. Beakman, by the hostesses, Mrs. Westerman, Mrs. George B. Scott and Mrs. Dunlap.

The next club meeting will be in the home of Mrs. I. N. Riley, November 21 with Mrs. Mack Campbell as co-hostess. Each member will answer roll call with the history of a bird. Members are asked to bring a baby picture to the meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Neil Tatom and girls visited Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Eyrd at Cross Cut Saturday night.

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Football In Review

Matty Bell, SMU director of athletics, recalls outstanding moments in his 35-year football career Tuesday on The Humble Company's Football Review.

Other features on the same program show the fundamentals of the split T and option and how coaches use movies to prepare for football games.

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Brownie Scout Troop 5 met Thursday in the high school home-making department for their regular meeting.

The Brownies, with the help of their leaders, made chocolate peanut candy.

Chocolate Peanut Candy

Blend: 1 cup peanut butter
1 cup corn syrup
1/4 cup cocoa

Add: 1 1/2 cup powdered sugar
1/4 cup dry milk

Mix well. Knead with hands. Shape into small balls or pat out and cut into squares. Makes two pounds.

Brownie Troop 4 honored Peggy Lane on her tenth birthday at their regular meeting last week.

A business meeting was held and Peggy then opened her gifts.

Refreshments of cake, ice cream, cold drinks and mints were served to Sandra Apple, Barbara Shocklee, Judy Fortune, Virginia Lane, Mrs. Alex Shocklee, Mrs. Ollie Fortune, Mrs. Sam Lane, by the honoree, Peggy Lane.

The girls spent an enjoyable time playing games before being dismissed. Some of the members were absent due to illness or bad weather.

Girl Scout Troop II met Thursday, November 7. We wrote a report on our Photography Proficiency Badge which we are completing.

Karen Calhoun was hostess at the meeting.

Games were played and the meeting dismissed.

Members present were Linda Whitton, Jackie Holt, Karen Calhoun, Sandra Barr, Becky Baird, Mickey Freeman, Gwin Holbrook, Starr Alexander, Miss Browning and two visitors, Mrs. Dessa Holbrook and Mrs. Lena Mae Holland, council field director.

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COLLEGE STATION—High costs of farming necessitate higher yields for maximum profit, and to make the highest production soil should be tested for its needs for lime and fertilizer.

The only true way to determine the amount of fertilizer and lime a pasture or a field needs is in a laboratory, W. F. Bennett, agricultural chemist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, said.

"A farmer or rancher gets more for the dollar spent having his soil tested and applying lime and fertilizer according to recommendations than for any other dollar

spent producing a crop," he pointed out.

Without the proper nutrient balance, fertilizers will not be as profitable, plus the lack of other necessary practices such as weed, insect and disease control which also reduce the good results.

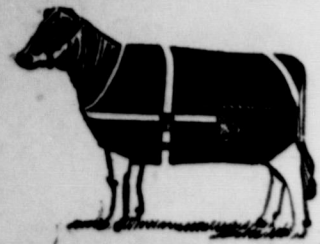
Too, in soil high in acid or low in lime content, the phosphates, potash and some of the nitrogen is lost to growing plants, Bennett added. But addition of agricultural limestone to such soils keeps fertilizers in good working condition, resulting in increases in crop yields.

Application of agricultural limestone to acid or low-lime soil produces other beneficial results such as providing calcium for plant food, and making phosphates more available to plant use. Other fertilizer nutrients behave the same way. Soil bacteria is stimulated with more activity which causes a greater amount of nitrogenous nodules to form on the roots of legumes. Soil is easier to work, forage plants are more nutritious for livestock, and toxic materials in soils are neutralized.

All the above benefits are made available to landowners whose soil is tested to determine what is needed in the soil. Soil samples are easy to collect, and any county agricultural agent, soil conservation service representative or teacher of vocational agriculture can assist in taking samples and mailing to the Soils Laboratory, Texas Agricultural Extension Service, College Station, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Thompson were in Fort Worth Sunday visiting their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Baker and son.

Paul L. Whitton and daughter, Linda, were visiting in Chireno and attended the homecoming at Nacogoches over the week end.



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AUSTIN, Tex.—Days of old seem to have dawned over Texas lawmakers. They ended their first called session this week and launched into number two.

It's the first time in more than a decade that a governor has convened a legislature in two rapid-fire special sessions.

Main topic for the second session is a bill to authorize closing of public schools threatened by occupation of federal troops.

Gov. Price Daniel issued the second call when it became apparent that this issue couldn't be squeezed into the final days of the first session.

House and Senate had difficulty coming to agreement on details of the first session's five-point program: water planning, lobby control, crime study, practice before state agencies and money for an Insurance Department building.

DELAY SPOTLIGHTED—Senate Investigating Committee is continuing its drive to establish whether the Insurance Commission dilly-dallied with reports of irregularities in a Dallas firm.

Former Insurance Department Examiner Wayne Tinkler told the committee that he began an examination of Preferred Life last March. He ran into difficulties, and asked for help from the department's legal counsel. He didn't get it, said Tinkler, and finally turned in a report in June.

His audit indicated that Preferred's president owed the company some \$194,000 due to stock manipulations, Tinkler reported. "But no action was taken in the Department until September, when a brief conference was held."

BOND PROGRAM LAUNCHED—At least one phase of Texas water conservation program now has the official go-ahead.

By approving a constitutional amendment, voters cleared the way for issuance of \$200,000,000 in bonds to finance local water projects.

Though only about one-tenth of the electorate (185,000) turned out, all three proposed amendments received approximately 3-to-1 majorities.

Other two will provide increased retirement benefits for state employees and authorize higher old age pensions.

WHO FOOTS THE BILLS—Texans depend on severance taxes, mainly on oil and gas, for nearly one out of every three state tax dollars.

Tax Analyst John P. Sly of Princeton said this reliance on natural resource taxes has been increasing over the years. Sly, in addressing a meeting of the Texas Research League in Austin, gave what may be a preview of the searching study of Texas' tax structure being undertaken by the League.

Some Sly statistics: State taxes increased from \$123,000,000 in 1940 to \$625,000,000 in 1957. Severance taxes jumped from 16 per cent to 30 per cent of the total in that period. Texas' state and local taxes are \$130 per capita compared to the national average of \$158.

EMBARRASSMENT OF RICHES—Combination of late spring rains and early fall rains has caught many Texas farmers in a squeeze. There wasn't enough time in between to raise a crop and get it out of the fields. Agriculture agents in North Texas reported that farmers there stood to lose millions from ruined cotton.

Some ranchers, according to the U. S. Dept. of Agriculture, have "a very unusual situation—more grass than stock to eat it." This time last year those same ranchers were selling off stock at a sacrifice because they had no feed.

Small grain and winter legume prospects are extremely good, says

USDA, though dry weather is needed for additional planting.

COTTON ACREAGE TUSSELE—For the third straight year East Texas and West Texas cotton farmers are at odds over acreage allotments.

State and county allotments are to be announced by USDA before Dec. 14 when cotton farmers will vote on whether they want a market quota program for 1958.

West Texas farmers contend that their area has been penalized. They say an undue portion of the state's cotton acreage is allotted to the older cotton-growing counties of east and central Texas. One group of West Texans went to federal court last year to try to get the allotments changed.

Opposing them is the Old Cotton Belt Association which has announced it will fight new efforts to wrest acreage from its area.

SPEED LAW QUESTIONED—Governor Daniel has been requested to ask the Legislature to rewrite the automobile speed limit law.

A recent opinion from the Court of Criminal Appeals called the law "vague and indefinite and therefore invalid." Involved was a conviction for driving 90 miles an hour.

If this law is too shaky for court tests, the Harris County district attorney told the governor in effect, a new and stronger one should be written immediately.

ENGINEERS URGE WATER PLAN—Texas Society of Professional Engineers has added its voice to those urging an extensive, long-range water program.

Importance of water to Texas' future justifies an annual expenditure of \$100,000,000 in the opinion of TSPE's special water study committee.

TSPE's report recommended: (1) adoption of the governor's proposed legislation, (2) salary increases for the Water Board members, (3) planning on the lowest level possible to allow proper development of an over-all program, (4) sale of water storage acquired by the state in federal reservoirs to any qualified political sub-division, as quickly as possible.

SCHOOL WORK OKAYED—Improvements have been authorized by the State Board for Hospitals and Special Schools for nine schools and hospitals. Included are state schools at Abilene and Austin, state hospitals at San Antonio, Kerrville and Harlingen, the Austin State School Farm Colony and the Confederate Home for Men. Costs will total \$261,000.

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Bailey have returned home after visiting in Fort Worth the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Walker of Abilene visited Saturday night and Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Verna Mae Ramsey.

M. L. Foster of Clovis, New Mexico and J. C. Foster of Slaton are visiting their mother, Mrs. J. C. Foster, and their brother, Claude Foster, who is a patient in the Callahan County Hospital, and with other relatives here.

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Mrs. George Lutzenberger arrived Thursday of last week for a visit with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lutzenberger and Judy. Mrs. Lutzenberger expects to return to her home in Salem, Missouri after the Thanksgiving holidays.

Mrs. Howard Cox and Mrs. L. L. Litchie visited in Hamilton Monday with Mrs. Ritchie's sister, Mrs. W. W. Wall.

Mrs. Lorena Lilley visited Mrs. Amy Dodson and Mrs. Williams Saturday night.

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Roy McWilliams of Midland has been here for sometime staying in the home of his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Burton, and helping care for his father, W. M. McWilliams, who has been ill for sometime.

Mrs. J. A. Burton returned home last week after visiting in Odessa for a few days with her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Walker. The Walkers brought her home and visited here for a few days before returning to Odessa.

Mrs. Chas. Taylor has been here for several days after visiting her daughter, Mrs. F. T. Taylor, and family at Zephyr. Friends will be happy to see Mrs. Taylor is getting a

Mr. and Mrs. Osa G. McElroy visited relatives in Rotan Sunday Monday.

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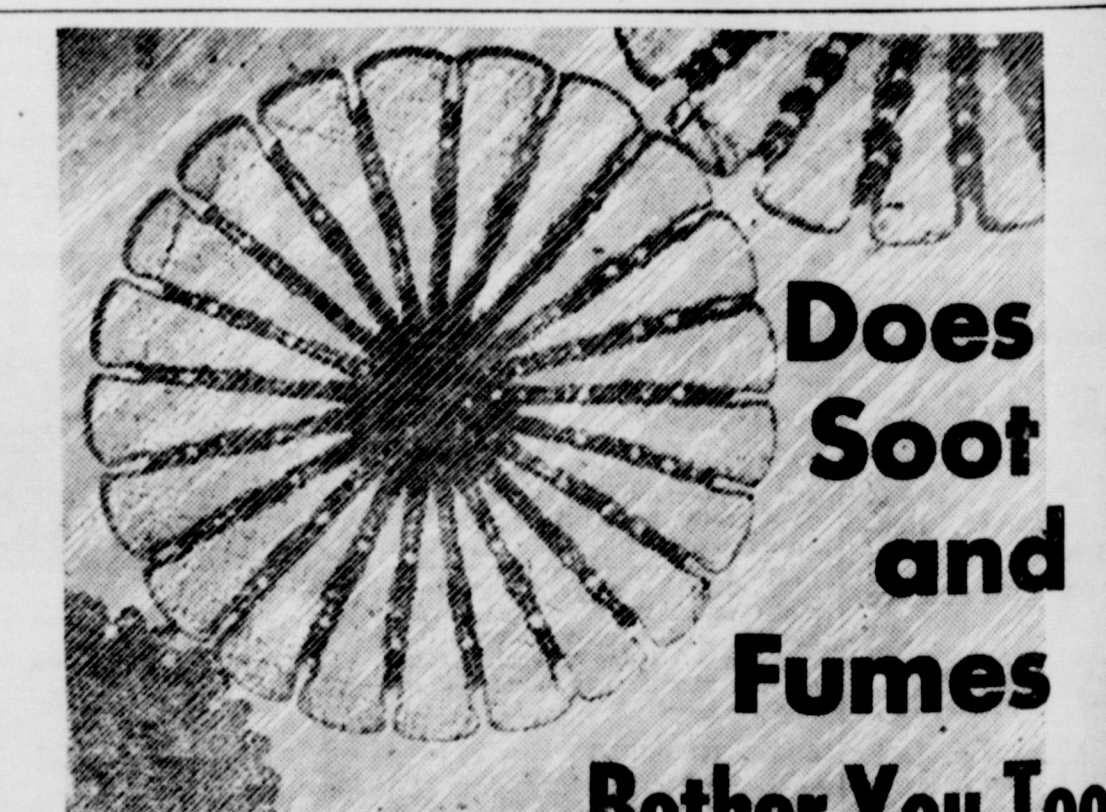
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Soil Conservation District News

Moisture penetration in general throughout our area has been good. Some penetration tests have been made. Where the cover is sufficient on ranges, tests reveal that moisture has reached a depth of 3 1/2 feet or better.

Where cover is scarce or absent penetration is about 10 inches. Where weeds and other annual plants were present moisture had penetrated to a depth of 19 inches. These tests were made after recent rains which came in October and November.

Since the temperature during this period has not been above 90 degrees and the wind has not been exceptionally high, we can not blame evaporation for not getting the water in the soil. Much of our moisture has been lost through runoff.

The ability of a soil to take water at any rate if primarily controlled by the amount of cover on that soil. A soil with a good cover of grass might be able to take water at the rate of three to four inches per hour. If this good cover is removed the ability of this soil to take water is practically eliminated.

When 2,000 pounds or more of either growing or dead cover is present on the soil the most economical protection is obtained. On range land that has little or no cover very little of the moisture received has entered the soil.

Rainfall in itself means nothing to the farmer or rancher unless he is equipped to handle it. Armed with a good cover on the land, then he can expect to farm or ranch at a profit. It's not the amount of rainfall we receive that counts but the rain we keep that counts.

Bob Young took his grandson to his home in Arlington Sunday and visited in the home of his son, Ronald Young and family. W. D. Smith accompanied him as far as Fort Worth where he visited Mr. and Mrs. Garland Smith and Miss Lynn Smith. Mr. Smith and Lynn drove to Dallas during the day and visited Mrs. Willie Childress and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Cox and granddaughter, Patricia Yarbrough, visited in Fort Worth Sunday night and Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Forehand.

Many Landowners Now Eligible for Retirement Under Social Security

Farm landowners over the age of 65 have started filing claims for their social security benefits, according to R. R. Tuley, Jr., manager of the Abilene social security district office. The number of such claims will reach a peak early in 1958, after farmers have filed their 1957 tax returns, he declares.

The 1964 law which covered self-employed farmers beginning with 1955, did not provide coverage for any landlord receiving rental income from his farm land, according to Tuley. This meant that many landlords whose sole business was farming and who actually took part in the farming operations were denied the protection of the Social Security Act. To remedy this, Congress in 1956, changed the law so that a landlord who by arrangement with the tenant or share farmer takes part in producing a crop and whose activities significantly affect the amount of the crop, will have his net income from this activity credited to his social security account.

This means that the farm landowner over the age of 65 who has been helping his tenant in the production of a crop by helping with the work, contributing machinery or money and actively managing some of the operations, during 1956 and 1957, may be qualified for a social security benefit.

The social security office has leaflets and booklets explaining in more detail what things are taken into consideration in determining whether the landlord's activities constitute material participation. If the landlord meets the requirements, then it is necessary that he file a Schedule F along with his regular income tax form and pay the social security tax on his net income from this farming activity.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Moon and Harold visited the Gerald Moon family in Fort Worth during the holiday week end. They returned home Tuesday accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Moon and baby daughter who are visiting here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Strickland of this city, accompanied by their daughter, Mrs. Ray Curry and girls of Abilene, were in Gorse Monday to attend funeral rites for E. E. Vaughn, father of the Strickland's son-in-law, B. L. Vaughn.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Kimbrough of Baytown have been visiting here and at Cisco for several weeks while they are making needed repairs on rent property here.

Mr. and Mrs. Exal McMillan were in Brownwood Tuesday evening visiting their daughter, Billie Heien, a student at Howard Payne College.

Herrell Kelley visited relatives in Killeen over the week end. Claude Baird of Dublin visited here Saturday with his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Wilson.

Mrs. Jaunita Lawson and daughter, Patricia, of San Antonio spent the week end in Cross Plains visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Wilson and also her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Wilson.

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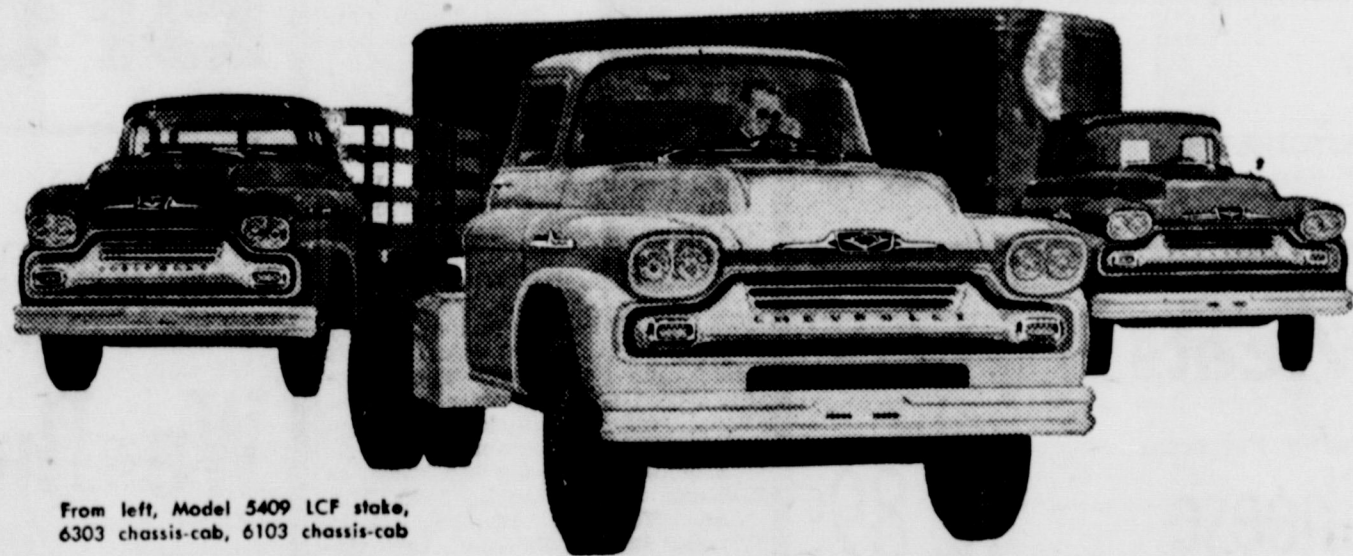
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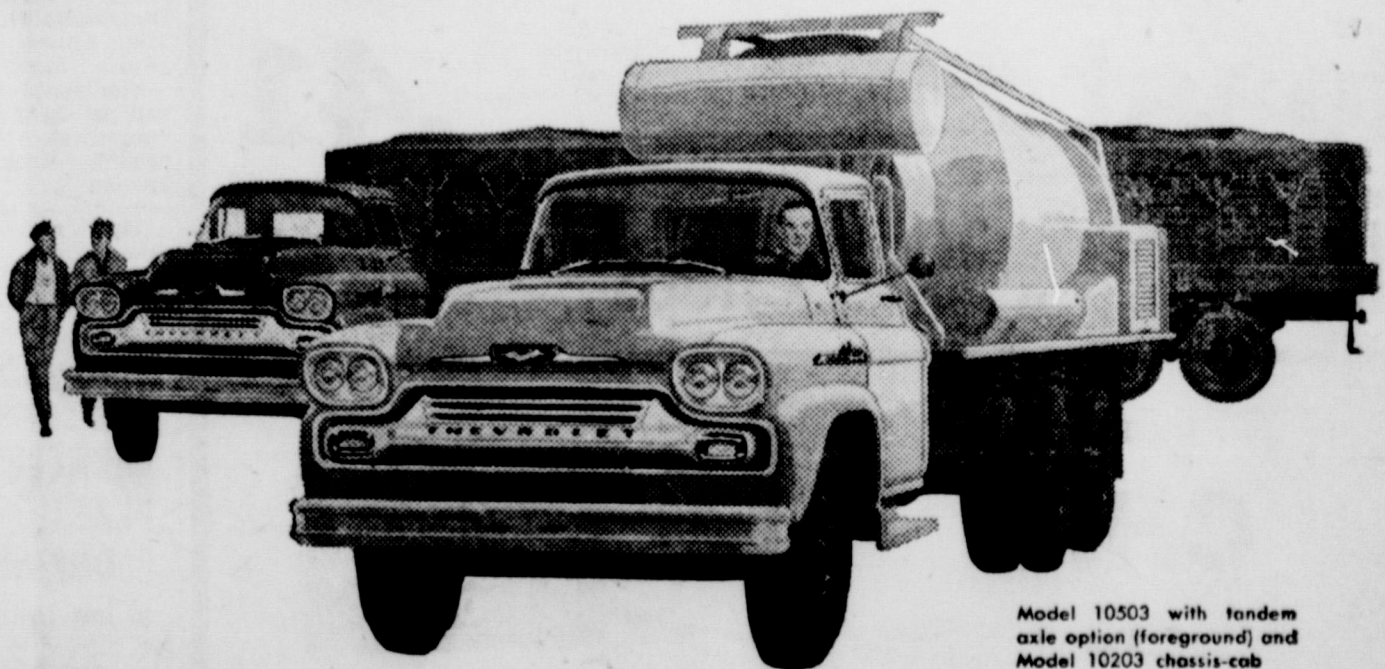
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Fellowship Meeting Held At Old Time Gospel Mission, Monday

Rev. H. P. Shaw, pastor of the Old Time Gospel Mission, has reported that a large crowd from the local church and visitors from Cisco, Fort Worth, Abilene, Brownwood, Coleman, Rising Star, Mineral Wells and Pioneer, enjoyed the regular monthly fellowship meeting held at the Mission, Monday night of this week. Bro. Anderson, pastor of the Faith Temple Church, of Cisco, was guest speaker. The next fellowship meeting will be held December 9, at the North Side Pentecostal Church in Coleman, Rev. Shaw stated.

Presbyterian Evening Circle Met Tuesday

The Evening Circle of the Presbyterian Women's Organization which is to meet the second Tuesday of each month, was organized in the home of Mrs. Roy Zuefeldt Tuesday, November 12.

Mrs. Merlin Garrett of Circle 1 brought the devotional. Mrs. James Hickman was elected chairman of the new circle with Mrs. Sims, secretary, and Mrs. "Tot" Morris as program chairman.

Details of organization and program materials for 1958 were reviewed.

Those attending were Meses. Merlin Garrett, James Hickman, Bon Huntington, Clay Kinnard, "Tot" Morris, Webb Randie, Gene Rhodes, Phae Saunders, Clyde Sims, Roy Zuefeldt.

Baptist G. A. Met Monday For Mission Study Hour

The Junior G. A. met at the First Baptist Church Monday afternoon for mission study.

"Tales from Ire," a book which tells about mission work in Nigeria, West Africa, was taught by Mrs. Kenneth Holt and Mrs. Donald Baird. After the study of the book each girl made her a witch doctor mask which she took home with her. Supper was served on a table decorated with Agrican placemats and napkins.

Those present were: Vanda Anderson, Becky Bodine, Linda Bodine, Kathleen Cowan, Dolores Falkner, Martha Foster, Jackie Holt, Jean McFerrin, Elaine Parker, Dianna Purvis, Linda Walters, Mrs. Kenneth Holt and Mrs. Donald Baird.

Baptist Youth Rally Held At Denton Valley Church

The Callahan Baptist Association Youth Rally was held at Denton Valley Baptist Church Monday night.

The theme for the program was "Christ-like Lives." Rev. Bill Cathey of Hardin-Simmons conducted the Seminar on "Right or Wrong."

Refreshments were served to some 60 young people. Attending from Cross Plains were: Mary Scott, Betty Graham, Vondean Walters, Linda Walters, Joe Gary, Darvel Hutchins, David Wells, James Apple, James Stone, Tommy Garrett, Billy Holt, John Baird, Mr. Dale Bishop and Mrs. Donald Baird.

Baptist YWA Girls Hold Regular Meeting Tuesday

The Winona Treadwell Young Womens Auxillary of the First Baptist Church held their regular meeting Tuesday, Nov. 12, at the church at 3:45.

The opening prayer was given by Mrs. Lindsey Tyson. Mrs. Donald Baird installed the new officers and community chairmen.

The president, Anita Baugh, presided during the business session. Minutes of the previous meeting were read by Janie Schaffner, secretary. The treasurer's report was given by Joan McNutt. The community missions chairman report was given by Betty Wyatt. Vondean Walters was in charge of the program which was opened by a prayer.

"Stitching and Sewing," the program from the YWA Window was given by Vondean Walters, Betty Wyatt, Anita Baugh, Joan McNutt and Janie Schaffner. The meeting closed with a prayer by Anita Baugh for the missionaries listed on the prayer calendar.

Attending the meeting were as follows: Anita Baugh, Joan McNutt, Vondean Walters, Betty Wyatt, Janie Schaffner, two visitors, Virginia Lane, and Mrs. Donald Baird, WMU president, and Mrs. Lindsey Tyson, YWA counselor.

The next meeting of the YWA will be Monday, Nov. 18, at the church at 3:45, at that time the Mission Book of Africa will be studied.

Tip to motorist: Watch out for school kids -- they weren't brought up to be run down.

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Mises Zona and Dorothy Champion Honored With Bridal Shower Tuesday

Misses Zona Beth and Dorothy Champion, who will wed Charles and Lynn Mosley of Clyde, November 22, were honored with a miscellaneous shower in the home of Mrs. James Alexander Tuesday evening.

Serving as co-hostess with Mrs. Alexander were Meses. Raymond DeBusk, James Chesshir, Melvin Placke, Bill Ingram, A. F. Harris, H. McDonald, Lloyd Bryan, H. N. Wilson, Osa Gattis, George Barnard, Morris Odum, Doyle Cowan, Oscar Koenig and Troy Crockett.

Cake, punch and coffee was served to a large number of guests. From a lace covered table and centered with an arrangement of white chrysanthemums.

Baptist WMS Enjoys Mission Study, Tuesday

The WMS met at the Baptist Church Tuesday for mission study. "Continent in Commotion," a mission book on Africa, was taught by Mrs. Ike Neal, Mrs. V. D. Walters, and Mrs. Lee Bishop. Mrs. Sam Jones brought a report on a message given by a returned missionary from Africa to the WMU Convention in Fort Worth last week. A covered dish luncheon was served at noon on a table decorated with placemats and napkins with African designs.

Those present were: Mrs. Athula Abbot, Mrs. A. O. Allen, Mrs. Donald Baird, Mrs. Annie Bishop, Mrs. Lee Bishop, Mrs. Jeff Clark, Mrs. Ed. Cornelius, Miss Gussie Jones, Mrs. Sam Jones, Mrs. Pat McNeal, Jr., Mrs. Ike Neal, Mrs. L. P. Reed, Mrs. Rosenberg, Mrs. Fred Stacy, Mrs. W. R. Thompson, Mrs. V. D. Walters, Mrs. A. Webb, Mrs. Luke Westerman and Mrs. Glenn Wooten.

There is more water than land on the earth's surface.

Lincoln was assassinated at Ford's theater while attending a play entitled "Our American Cousin."

Rabbits can run faster up hill than down because the hind legs are longer than the forelegs.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Mrs. Joe Weiler was released from the Rising Star Hospital Friday of last week where she has been a patient for several weeks, having been moved to the hospital there from Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene where she spent some time after suffering a stroke at her home here. She is reported to be getting along nicely.

H. D. Cameron was admitted to the Comanche Hospital last week where he underwent surgery Friday for fractured hip.

Mrs. Mina Conlee was carried to the Overall Hospital in Coleman Wednesday of this week where she is undergoing treatment for an attack of the flu.

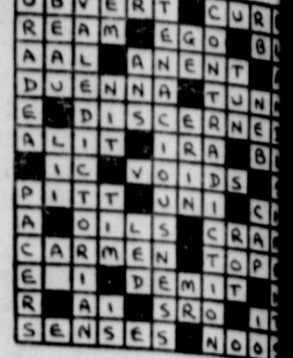
Claude Foster was reported Wednesday night of this week to be recovering satisfactorily following surgery Wednesday morning in the Callahan County Hospital at Baird.

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